

# Splendid Premiums for Club-Raisers:

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THE NATIONAL TRIBUNE,  
Washington, D. C.

## A Good Watch For an Hour's Work.



One of the most serviceable watches ever made, a stem-winder and stem-setter. The case is nickel, having the exact appearance of silver. **THIS IS NO TOY**, but an ordinary modern watch which will last for years, and one which any person may be proud to carry. It is guaranteed by the manufacturer and by us. A watch like this a generation ago would have cost \$20, but the fact is it contains appliances unknown at that time.

In addition to the watch we send in every instance a handsome chain and charm, so that the outfit is ready to put on and wear as soon as received.

We do not sell this watch without the paper, and no one can secure one of these splendid timepieces by itself. We will send this watch by mail to any person who will send us a club of only

### FOUR YEARLY SUBSCRIBERS.

Understand that you pay nothing for the watch, but send us **four** names and addresses of subscribers to THE NATIONAL TRIBUNE with \$1 for each subscriber, who will receive the paper for one year, and we will send you the watch, chain and charm, postpaid, to your address absolutely free of charge.

In addition, the subscribers will each receive two great war books, described elsewhere. This makes club-raising easy. No one, therefore, need be without a watch equal for keeping time to any in the neighborhood. It will not take an hour for anyone to get up this small club of only four subscribers at \$1 each for the best family newspaper in the U. S.

enameled star in a ring of rolled gold. This is just the thing for veterans.

**Free for TWO new subscribers.**  
No. 120. "The Same Canteen" Charm. No. 120 is an old friend in new dress, which needs no introduction. It is heavy rolled-gold plate, designed especially for us. It is sent, postpaid, for a club of **TWO** yearly subscribers.

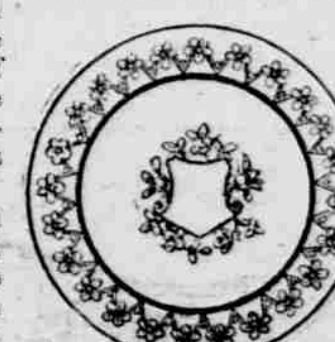
**G.A.R. Sleeve Buttons.**—These Sleeve Buttons are no cheap imitation. The disk is pearl-tinted enamel, and upon its face, in raised work of heavy rolled-gold plate, is the eagle, cannon and cannon-balls constituting the upper portion of the Grand Army badge, with the letters G.A.R. engraved in a scroll beneath. The setting is also of gold plate, and by pressing on a spring the button can be taken apart, thus making it easy to adjust it in the cuffs. Sent prepaid for a club of **THREE** new subscribers.

No. 9. Victoria G.A.R. Chain. The cut shows the latest novelty for wives and other fair relatives of G.A.R. comrades. It is 14-karat rolled gold plate, warranted for 10 years' constant wear. The charm is beautifully engraved like the center of the official G.A.R. badge.

The ground is enameled in red and blue, with the figures in gold. This chain and charm will be sent to any address, free, for a club of **NINE** yearly subscribers.



We have two new watches that we guarantee. They are of American manufacture, according to latest improvements in the chronographic art. We call them "Our Specials," and both are stem-wind and stem-set movements, jeweled, open face, with compound white metal cases. This metal is composed chiefly of nickel, and wears the same clear through.



As to the style of the case we call attention to the engraving of the men's size. If desired the back of the case will be engraved with the G.A.R. badge as shown in the accompanying illustration on the left. It will be sent plain if preferred.

The case of the ladies' watch will also be sent either plain or in an engraved case as wanted. The style of the engraving is shown in the illustration on the right, and it is very tastefully done. The terms

are the same whether for plain or engraved.

We know these watches will suit, and we are especially proud of the ladies' watch, because for years we have tried without success to get an American-made timepiece of this size at a reasonable price and fit to guarantee. Ladies' watches of foreign make have proved unsatisfactory, and the American movements heretofore have been too expensive. Now, however, we have it so near absolute perfection that we do not look for substantial improvement in our lifetime.

"Our Special" men's size will be sent postpaid as a premium for a club of six yearly subscribers.

"Our Special" ladies' size will be sent postpaid as a premium for a club of seven yearly subscribers. The smaller a watch is the more it costs.

## A COIN SILVER WATCH. G.A.R. Jewelry



Here is a great bargain. The case is engine-turned in pattern, and made of standard U. S. assay coin silver. The movement (or works) is of the latest and most stylish, as well as most serviceable design, has a quick train balance, safety pinion, hairspring tempered in form, and is a stem-winder and stem-setter. It is a seven-jeweled movement.

We have the same watch either hunting-case or open-face, the latter a heavy, beveled French plate, perfectly safe against damage in the pocket.

We will send this beautiful watch, postpaid, to any address, delivery guaranteed, as a premium for a club of 10 yearly subscribers and \$1.50 additional money if the hunting-case is desired, or only \$1 added money if the open-face is preferred.



### DESCRIPTION.

**G.A.R. Ring.**—Our specialty. Copyright. We have had made especially for us a Solid Gold Ring, with setting modeled after the Bronze Lapel Button of the G.A.R.

The setting is made of black onyx, and the button is of gold, set in the onyx.

Remember, this ring is not plated in any part, either band, shank, or setting. Furnished in any size, delivery guaranteed.

Sent as a premium for a club of 20 subscribers.

**No. 292—G.A.R. Badge Charm.**—made of rolled-gold plate. At the top are the double eagles in rolled gold. Below them two rolled gold cannon lying upon a pile of enameled cannon-balls. Directly below this is the United States flag made of red and blue enamel and rolled gold. Attached to the flag is the star containing the various military emblems so well known to our readers. The whole charm is about two inches in length.

**Free for a Club of FIVE Subscribers.**

**No. 5. National Watch Chain.**—We have had made specially for subscribers a Watch Chain which is to be a token of personal service by its wearers in defense of their country. In the center is the star of the Grand Army, and on either side are the crossed cannons. It is made of heavy rolled gold, warranted for 10 years' constant wear. This fine chain will be sent for a club of **15** yearly subscribers.

**No. 291—Grand Army Charm.**—is a watch charm composed of a Grand Army

### Feels Well Repaid.

UNDERWOOD, IOWA, Nov. 14, 1897.  
EDITOR NATIONAL TRIBUNE.

DEAR COMRADE: I have received the coin silver watch for getting up a club of 20. I am highly pleased with it, and feel well repaid for my trouble. I will try to send in another club soon.—C. F. CARVER.

Nov. 18, 1897.

EDITOR NATIONAL TRIBUNE.

DEAR SIR: Inclosed find club of 14 subscribers, which explains itself, also find a check for \$15 to pay for same, and renew my subscription.  
J. A. McISTOSH.  
32 Chester street, Cleveland O.

**The Gift of two Great War Books to every Subscriber, see eighth page, makes Club-raising easy.**

## Silver-plated Teaspoons

**FREE FOR A CLUB.**  
See Offers Below.

These teaspoons can be used in cooking, eating and medicines THE SAME AS SOLID SILVER. They will not, cannot corrode or rust. Teaspoons of equal merit are sold in jewelry-stores for \$1.50 and \$2.00 a set; but because we buy at factory prices, and because we do not make any profit on the spoons (the subscription is what we want), we furnish them at a great bargain. In beauty and finish they are perfect, and for daily use there is nothing better. The base of these spoons is nickel-silver metal, which is silver color through and through, and is then well plated with coin-silver.

**Will Stand Any Test.** To test these spoons, use acid or a file. If returned to us we will replace, free of charge, the spoon damaged in making the test, provided you tell some of your neighbors what the test proved. We make this offer because such a test is the best advertisement we can get, leading as it does to additional orders. We absolutely guarantee each and every spoon to be as described and to give entire satisfaction or money refunded.

**Initial Letter** Each and every spoon will be engraved free of charge with your initial letter.

We will send a set of these beautiful teaspoons, marked, for a club of only **three** yearly subscribers at \$1 each.

### TESTIMONIAL.

OAK THORPE, O., July 26, 1897.

EDITOR NATIONAL TRIBUNE: The watch came all right. I have seen a good many premium watches, but yours beats anything that ever came to these parts. I gave it to my boy and he thinks it as good as gold.  
ISAAC L. THOMAS.

Nov. 17, 1897.

EDITOR NATIONAL TRIBUNE.  
DEAR SIR: Find inclosed \$4. Please send paper and books to each subscriber at once. Send watch to my address as premium. I will send another club in a few days.  
THOS. C. GILLESPIE,  
Staunton, Ind.

McLeod, Mont., November, 1897.

Editor National Tribune.  
Dear Sir: I have received all of the premiums, and am well pleased with them. The boys who subscribed are so well pleased that they wish that they had subscribed earlier. They say that they will stay with The Tribune, and so will I just as long as I can raise a dollar.  
W. H. SHOENBERGER.

End, Pa., Dec. 6, 1897.

Editor National Tribune.  
Dear Sir: For the 10th time I inclose you a dollar to pay for the dear old National Tribune. For eight years my daughter made me a Christmas present of The National Tribune. No other present she could give me, though costing much more, would be so much appreciated, and she knew it.  
M. M. HORTON.